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**SEARCH NOTES  
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TEXT SEARCH: ((biodegradable or bioabsorbable) near (staple or fastener))	12/18/2007	GRW
TEXT SEARCH: (((drug or medicine or chemical) near (fastener or staple)) and (hollow\$2 or reservoir or channel\$3 or recess\$2))	12/18/2007	GRW
TEXT SEARCH: 411/\$.ccl.s and surgical and staple	5/29/2009	GRW
Flemming Seather - class 411	12/18/2009	GRW